

silver, use kitchen salt dissolved in water, and mustard as an emetic. For the nitrous fumes from the manufacture of the nitrate of iron, or of sulphuric acid, take acetic acid as strong as can be endured, in small quantities at a time."
— *Inter-Ocean*.

THURSDAY, MARCH 22, 1888.

LOCAL ITEMS.

AN EPILOGUE OF THE WEEK'S DOINGS.

—High winds and rain Tuesday night and Wednesday.

—Samuel Spach, lost a finger at his saw mill, near White Roads.

—W. J. Cooper, of this place, is Deputy Sheriff in place of C. G. Lannier, resigned.

—Messrs. Edie Butler and Ella Ackerman are at Rosenbaker's Trade Palace.

—The collection in the Moravian church, last Sunday for Bohemian Missions amounted to \$172.

—Thanks to Dr. Hamilton for a copy of his new Medical book. Agents wanted to sell the book.

—Bishop Galloway, of Mississippi, will deliver the annual sermon at Trinity College Commencement.

—We learn that John Collins, one of the prisoners at work on the road below town, made his escape.

—Green Brown, colored, was sent to jail for stealing a farmer's rations from his wagon in Piedmont Ware house.

—Mt. Tabor M. E. Church will be dedicated on the third Sunday in April. Rev. Mr. Cunningham will officiate.

—The Greensboro Workman says: Peter F. Holt, of Alamance county, died suddenly, last Saturday night, of what is supposed to have been heart disease.

—We are pleased to state that a surveying party for the Roanoke & Southern Railroad is at work locating the road.

—The Moravian Falls Academy, in Wilkes county, is prospering. There is now a regular attendance of 110 scholars.

—The funeral services of John Pratt, and son J. W. Pratt, were preached by Revs. Holsbeck and Hunt on last Sunday.

—Rev. Dr. F. H. Johnston, of the Presbyterian Church, preached an able sermon in the Moravian church, in this place, Sunday night.

—A negro entered the house of Mr. Fouch, on Liberty Street, Winston, and stole a gold watch, a pocket book with some change, and other valuables last week, in broad daylight.

—A negro was seen in the yard of Joseph Gibbins, near the hen house, last Thursday evening, and Mr. Gibbins got a gun and shot at the trespasser, who, however, managed to make his escape.

—Death of Mrs. Lash.—Mrs. Lash, widow of the late Wm. A. Lash and mother of Mrs. J. E. Gilmer, Dr. W. A. Lash, Mrs. George, and Mrs. Cabell Harston, died from paralysis at Walnut Cove on Tuesday, the 12th inst., aged 84 years.

—\$160.00 will now buy the Farmers' Saw Mill; \$100.00 the Dixie Engine; \$275.00 the 6x24 inch Tar Heel Planer and Matcher. Manufactured by the SALEM IRON WORKS, Salem, N. C. Write for full descriptive circulars.

—March 15-31.

—Thanks to Senator Ransom for Public Documents, among them Report of the Department of Agriculture 1886, Fifth Annual Report of the Geological Survey, 1883-'84, and Annual Report of Bureau of Ethnology, 1880-'81. They are all valuable and full of interesting matter.

—A negro entered Henry Reich's house, on Poplar Street, on Saturday last, about 9 o'clock, and stole some clothing. Mrs. Reich gave the alarm and the negro being pursued, threw down the stolen property, but was arrested, brought before Mayor Fogle, bound over to court and jailed.

—For Buist's and Landreth's fresh Garden Seeds, go to ASHCRAFT & OWENS, Druggists, Winston.

—The 46th annual meeting of the Salem Bible Society was held in the Moravian Chapel, on Monday morning at 10 o'clock. The following officers were chosen for the next 2 years:

President—Rev. E. Rondthaler. Vice-Pres.—Rev. Mr. Norman. Treasurer—Rev. J. H. Clowell. Secretary—Rev. T. Lineback. Directors—Revs. H. A. Brown and E. P. Davis, Thos. Spach, A. A. Spach and E. A. Pfohl.

—The High Point Enterprise says: Wm. H. Jones has arrived here from Fort Clark, Texas. He belongs to Troop C, 3rd Cavalry, U. S. Army. His third term has just expired, but he re-enlisted, secured six months leave of absence and came here on a visit to friends. Mr. Jones was born and raised in Davidson county, but has been in the army 15 years. When he serves out the present term his name will be placed on the pension roll for life.

—White Lead, Linseed Oil, Ready mixed Paints, in all sizes cans, Varnishes, Hard Oil Finish, Wood Filler and Paint Brushes, at ASHCRAFT & OWENS, Winston.

—March 8-12.

—The Salem Orchestra's Concert on last Thursday night was, in every way, a most gratifying success. The audience was not as large as we had hoped to see, but made up in appreciation what it lacked in size. The Orchestra handled the programme with great facility and expression, and Prof. Carmichael's eminent fitness for his position as conductor was ably demonstrated. The vocal solo by Mrs. H. E. Fries, "The song that reached my heart," was heartily enjoyed, but a severe cold prevented her responding. Combining a charming stage presence with a magnificent voice, no musical event here can be considered complete without her. Mr. D. S. Butler's flute solo, a Fantaisie, was delightfully rendered and Mr. Butler responded to an encore. Prof. Carmichael's violin solo, Seventh Air Variations was given with great facility of execution and finished detail, which received a double encore. Messrs. D. S. Butler and H. V. Lineback played a Serenade for Flute and Violoncello, with orchestral accompaniment, in fine spirit and style. We hope the "Cello" will soon become a leading feature among the orchestra's solo instruments, for Mr. Lineback comes from a Cello playing family, and from the progress he has made we feel sure he would do himself and his orchestra credit. A novelty was presented in Dreamland Faces, a waltz, during which the orchestra sang the air, meanwhile playing the accompaniment. The effect was very fine, and its repetition was demanded. The orchestral selections were all given with great spirit, and, we might say, with enthusiasm. Precision of tempo, attention to light and shade, clearness of theme, and a thorough conception of the work being done were marked characteristics. We are greatly pleased to be able to praise the earnest efforts of our boys towards achieving a high standard. Prof. Carmichael needs no praise. His work does that for him. Imbued with a true devotion to his art, his spirit has extended to his instrumentalists, and their performance is hence a reflection of his own, pure, true, elegant.

HOLY WEEK.—The services of Holy Week will commence in the Moravian church on the 25th, Palm Sunday. Preaching at 10:30, followed by Confirmation services. At night, the usual reading from the Passion Week Manual will be commenced. The well known "Hosanna" will be sung, and the services and music will be appropriate to the occasion. These reading services will be held every night and on Thursday afternoon. Further notice next week.

—The State Sunday School Convention assembled in Raleigh yesterday, and will continue in session today and to-morrow. From this place, Rev. Edward Rondthaler, D. D., Messrs. E. A. Ebert, F. H. Fries, Jas. T. Lineback, J. S. Starbuck, and Misses Claude Winkler, Alice Rondthaler and Gertrude Jenkins are among the delegates. From Winston: Maj. T. J. Brown, Matt. Stockton and Mrs. C. H. Wilby and perhaps others. It will be an interesting meeting.

—A list of Letters remaining in the Post Office at Salem, N. C., for the week ending March 17, 1888:

Ladies.

Mary Bidding, Mrs. M. L. Johnston, Mrs. Ellen Person, Miss Mary M. Reed, Mrs. Julia Smith.

Gentlemen.

Mr. N. A. Alexander, J. H. Heeson, Alex. Haines (col.), Mr. Wiley Hudson, Mr. Alexander Nifong, Mr. N. Pope, W. G. Rominger, W. G. Spangh.

Persons calling for these letters should say *Advertised*, and are required to pay for each letter.

T. B. DOUTHIT, P. M.

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FERTILIZERS FOR THE GARDEN.—In Harris' New Seed Catalogue for 1888, there is a valuable article on this subject from the pen of Joseph Harris. The Catalogue is free to all who send their address on a postal card to Joseph Harris Seed Company, Moreton Farm, Rochester, N. Y.

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Not a few of the citizens of Salem, N. C., have recently become greatly excited over the astounding facts, that several of their friends who had been pronounced by their physicians as incurable and beyond all hope—suffering with that dreadful monster Consumption—have been completely cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, the only remedy that does positively cure all throat and lung diseases, Coughs, Colds, Asthma and Bronchitis.

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LETTERS FROM OUR FRIENDS.

KERNER'S LETTER.

Messrs. Editors:—In Webster's Spelling book there is a line which says, "the robins come with Spring," and if here, Spring is not here yet; for in the last two weeks I have been out in the country considerably, and have not seen a dozen robins in my whole rounds.

In the last days quite a number of our people have gone to Durham, carpenters and painters, and expect to remain there the balance of the year. J. G. Kerner, (Rouben Rink), H. C. Kerner, Corwin Kerner, I. J. Kerner and T. Beard, J. G. Kerner intends moving and going to house keeping; board at \$20 and \$25 a month he considers rather dear for work hands.

Mr. C. W. Stafford and Cicero Stockton, tobacco drummers, one for Lowry & Stafford and the other for Greenfield & Kerner, started South on their second two months' trip; it takes them that long to get round. Both our warehouses are doing well this season, and making another tobacco crop is all that is talked of just now, and I am afraid corn and everything else will be neglected like it was two years ago and the sad lesson will be repeated over again.

On last Sunday I had the opportunity to hear Rev. Mr. Kennet, the newly appointed preacher of the Protestant Methodist Church, preach here. He handled his subject, the "Crucifixion of Christ," most excellently, and he bids fair to make a first class preacher. At the close of his sermon he administered the Holy Communion; all the congregations were represented and partook, but one. The preaching regulations as they now stand for our place are: first Sunday, Episcopal Methodist; second Sunday, Baptist; third Sunday, Protestant Methodist; and fourth Sunday, Moravian.

Mr. John Stewart is painting the vestibule and steeple of the Moravian Church, and in a few days the scaffolding can be taken down. The bell was hoisted in position last week and did service for the first time yesterday morning ringing for the Sunday School.

One thing more: Sometime ago I went to the Post Office and found a considerable package to my address, and on opening it found it to be a pair of yarn mitts or hand gloves, extending half way up to the elbows; they are thick and warm, but who knit them and where they came from I can't even guess, but they are appreciated nevertheless, and while I hope there will not be much need for them this season we will lay them by for next winter. Many thanks to the unknown sender.

C. L. R. Kernersville, N. C., March 19th, 1888.

Trusses fitted and guaranteed at ASHCRAFT & OWENS, Winston. March 8-12.

Hickory Press: It may be interesting as well as surprising to know the amount of hen fruit that has been shipped from Hickory to Northern markets since the first of January, and to say that half a million of eggs had been shipped seems incredible, but such is the case.

A large lot of nice Stationery and writing Tablets, just received at ASHCRAFT & OWENS, Winston. March 8-12.

MARRIED.

In Davidson county, on the 4th inst., L. A. Tysinger to Miss Amanda Grist.

In Davidson county, on the 8th inst., Samuel Varner to Miss Mattie Snider.

In Davidson county, at the residence of Mrs. Emeline Hinkle, E. L. Trexler, of Lexington, to Miss Lucy Hinkle.

In Davidson county, Sanford Osborne to Miss Eliza Conrad.

In Stokes county, Alexander White to Miss Laura Tuttle.

In this place, on the 15th inst., by Elder William Turner, Rufus Lee Phillips, of Waughtown, to Miss Maggie L. Weavil, of Davidson.

DIED.

At the "Sisters Home," in this place, on the 18th inst., Mrs. Maria Transon, widow of the late Peter Transon, of Tennessee, aged 74 years, 3 months and 9 days.

Happy month, day days are ended, All they mourning days below; Thou, by angel guards attended, Didst to Jesus' presence go.

In Davidson county, on the 13th inst., of pneumonia, Frank Miller, aged 21 years.

On the 11th inst., Chas. W. Pinix, at the residence of Alpheus Green, in Thomasville.

At Oak Ridge, James B. Clarke, aged about 70 years.

In South Fork Township, Forsyth county, on the 11th inst., John F. Vest, after a long illness of consumption, aged 21 years, 5 months and 11 days.

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One of the Greatest Mysteries

Of the many mysteries which baffles the analysis of science, is the law of heredity governing the transmission of mental and physical characteristics from one generation to another. In no instance is this strange law more emphatically illustrated than in the generic perpetuation of diseases. Of all the hereditary blood diseases, none is more common than scrofula. This widely prevalent disease has hitherto been considered incurable, but since the introduction of S. S. S., nature's own antidote for disease, blood, these scrofulous afflictions have lost their worst features—their alleged incurability. The fact is established that a striking exhibition of the cure can be cured by this remarkable remedy. The fact is verified by hundreds of incontestable proofs. The following testimony is a striking exhibition of the cure. It cannot fail to impress the minds of parents who may have children troubled with this dangerous disease. Mr. Collier is a highly respected, popular and well known physician. He has been particularly requests the publication of his letter, so that other families, similarly afflicted, may learn, through his experience, how to cure their children, a remedy which will infallibly and permanently cure and eradicate hereditary Scrofula.

VINNA, GA., August 15, 1887.

The Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.

Gentlemen:—Three or four years ago my little daughter, six years of age, had very ugly boils, which, very soon after their appearance, terminated in running sores, all over her head and face. I tried all the known remedies—salves, healing washes, etc., but none seemed to do any good. Her scalp was in a bad condition, indeed. Finally, I sent her to Atlanta to have her examined, for I had become very uneasy about her. The doctors who examined her said she was badly afflicted with Scrofula. About the same time my little son, aged four years, broke out all over the head and face with the same disease, and for weeks he could not lie down to sleep without suffering great tortures. His head was a solid mass of sores.

I began to use S. S. S. as soon as I was satisfied about the nature of the disease, and continued to use it until all signs had disappeared. It is now going on 3 years since I have seen any signs of the disease breaking out. Today they are as healthy looking children as can be found in the county. Before they began the use of S. S. S. they were frail in constitution, but now they are strong and healthy. I did not give them any other kind of medicine to aid the S. S. S., but relied entirely on it, as I had seen so many cases cured of blood poisoning cured in my neighborhood by the S. S. S.

Every parent has within reach a cheap and positive cure for their children, afflicted as mine were, and all they have to do is to give it a fair trial, and a cure is certain. You are at liberty to use this letter so that parents may know how my little children were cured of their troublesome disease. God knows it has lifted a heavy load from my mind, as their affliction greatly troubled me. J. T. Collier.

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Terrible Railroad Accident.

A black-bear, Ga., special of Saturday in the Atlanta Constitution gives the following account of the fearful accident to the vestibule train: The first section of fast mail train, No. 27, for Jacksonville, leaving Savannah at 7 o'clock this morning, fell through the Harriane trestle, about a mile and a half east of Blackshear, at 9:30 a. m. Saturday.

The entire train, consisting of baggage car, smoker, Pullman sleeper, Saxon coach, and the private car, "Minerva," of President E. P. Wilbur, of the Lehigh Valley railroad went down—and all except the last named, were totally wrecked. The engine, jolted loose from the tender, and escaped, but the tender went down with the cars. President Wilbur's son was among the killed and the father himself seriously injured. Twenty persons were killed and 15 injured. George Gould and wife are among he injured.

It is given out already that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railroad will be held at Mt. Airy this year at the time of the completion of the road to that place.

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Barley,	per bushel,	60 to 65
Flour,	per hundred,	2.00 to 2.25
Peas,	per bushel,	0.00 to 0.00
Beans,	per bushel,	0.00 to 0.00
Onion Sets,	per bushel,	0.00 to 0.00
Pork,	per bushel,	7 to 8
Lard,	per bushel,	8 to 10
Country Meat,	(hog round),	10 to 12
Hams,	per bushel,	10 to 11
Green Apples,	per bushel,	0.00 to 0.00
Eggs,	per bushel,	11 to 12
Butter,	per pound,	12 to 18
Tallow,	per bushel,	4 to 6
Beeswax,	per bushel,	60 to 18
Flax Seed,	per bushel,	75 to 80
Potatoes,	per bushel,	90 to 0.00
Potatoes,	sweet,	90 to 0.00
Cabbage,	per pound,	2 to 0.08
Chickens,	per bushel,	20 to 25
Hay,	per bushel,	40 to 45

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Medium,	4.50 to 7.50
Good,	8.50 to 11.00
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